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A Letter to the Editor

Dear Sir:—It has been my good and bad fortune to have lived in this Town ever since its formation as a Town. I have followed its career closely and seen it rise to the utmost limit for water we can ever depend on receiving.

And what's the reason? A month ago the engine broke down and we lived on less than half a supply from the well on the hill—we only got that when the officials in charge felt disposed to go up and start the pump. But the engine has been repaired and still no water. Again I say: What's the reason?

And what's the reason this engine is continually breaking down at large expense to the people? "Gentlemen, there's something radically wrong somewhere." "There's something rotten in the State of Denmark." A new engine properly handled and cared for should give good service and be a burden of expense. The whole situation seems to be largely the result of inability, carelessness and in some cases of downright laziness, on the part of employees—well employees.

Now, I don't pretend to know where the trouble is or where the fault lies, neither do you know Mr. Cullen of the Town of Claresholm—you are not supposed to know. All you have got to do is pay the taxes and the water rates and the light rates whether you get water or light or not. Sam Weller asked once: "Did anybody ever see a dead donkey?" No body ever saw a dead donkey. Did anybody ever see a Town Employee working?—I am informed by a Town Official that one of the Town's employees connected with the pumping was this morning away over 4 hours when he should have been on duty, and the people suffering for water.

At the present time every tank in the Town is empty notwithstanding the great heat and drought and terrible danger of fire and either the pump at the Creek nor the one on the hill have made one stroke all night, although both might and should have been in operation. When this deplorable condition of affairs was called to the attention of one gentleman high in Municipal affairs, the answer was "As I said before I never noticed it!" How could he not notice it? Surely something was amiss, if not for our comfort at least for our personal safety.

Yours respectfully,
Wesley MacVitty,
Claresholm, June 17th, 1914.

The Cadet Schedule

Calgary, June 17.—For complete arrangements both for the regular program of the Camp as well as the extensive athletic program, the Calgary Cadet Camp will set a new record for the Canadian Cadet Camps to follow. In addition to the regular athletic events which are being held in every Cadet Camp in Canada this year, the Calgary Y. A. is also planning for both football and baseball leagues among the Cadets.

Special allowances have been made by the authorities in the daily Camp routine for recreation as the following schedule shows. This schedule is approximate and may possibly be changed slightly later.

Wakeup 6.00 a. m.
Breakfast 6.30 a. m.
Morning Training 9.00 to 11.30 a. m. with half hour interval.

Evening 12.30
Afternoon Training 2.00 to 3.00 p. m.
Recreation 3.00 to 5.15 p. m.
Tea 5.30 p. m.
Guard Mount 6.30 p. m.
Retreat 7.30 p. m.
Post 8.30 p. m.

The guard will only be mounted for one hour, so that most of the boys will be free for all evening for the Athletic events.

Don't forget the Calgary Exhibition.

REPORTED THAT CLARESHOLM PRIVATE OIL COMPANY GETS BIG OFFER

Yesterday it was reported around town, that the second company which was formed in Claresholm, by private business men of this town, and who have leased lands in this neighborhood and to the south and west amounting to some 4500 acres had an offer of \$45,000.00 for their share of leases. Those offering this price had two meetings in Calgary in this matter, but before any definite conclusion was arrived at the noise of "Monarch" reached their ears and thus ended the meeting. It is expected that some other meeting will be held before the end of the week and that something definite will be done.

The Shepherd of The Hills

Harold Bell Wright's most popular novel, "The Shepherd of the Hills," of which a million copies have been sold, has been made into a play by its author with the assistance of Elsie W. Reynolds. The first production of this play in this town will take place at the I. O. O. F. open house on Saturday, June 24th where it plays for one night only.

The play is practically a true narrative of life among the humble dwellers of the Ozarks. It touches all the emotions, and its influence is wholesome and helpful, notwithstanding several rough characters that figure more or less prominently. The shepherd of the story is a cultured and rough stranger, who comes into the hills, glad to escape from the vanities and conventionalities to which he has been accustomed. There is a flock, needing a shepherd, and he thankfully accepts the lowly occupation of a sheep tender, but soon becomes shepherd of a human flock, the big hearted mountaineers, their families, and all who need a friend and advice. Among his most devoted followers are Old Stat and Young Matt, the giants of the hills. Sunny Lane, glorious in the beauty of youth and womanhood, and poor Pete, a deranged lad who understands the voices of nature and sees what others cannot see. There is a mystery of the hills that alone terrifies, but at the last the solution is brought about by Pete and the shepherd, and it is the latter who is at last deeply afflicted and converted. It is hardly necessary to add that a pretty romance is woven into the humor, pathos and tragedy of the play throughout is one of the most successful of the season.

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"A" Squadron Leave For Camp

On Sunday the Alberta Rangers marched in body led by the town band to St. John's Church, where they were met by Rev. H. Henderson. They conducted by Rev. Henderson. They were seen on the street and on Tuesday morning a special train from the south took them to Calgary to camp for two weeks. On the same train "D" of Pitcher Creek went up "A" Squadron consists of 19 members from Anfield and 30 from Claresholm, which are under the orders of Major C. W. James, O. C. and Capt. C. H. Westmore.

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CLARESHOLM AND DISTRICT

Oil news is on the back page.

Mrs. F. E. Harvey will not receive after Thursday June the eighteenth.

D. B. Vanhorn sold a Ford to Mr. George Carney last week.

FOR SALE or trade a good piano. Apply Farmer's Elevator.

"What about the Claresholm Oil Co." see the back page, 11 Knox.

Everybody go to the Rex Theatre on Friday and Saturday and see the "Tango" danced.

Mr. George Wilson, his wife and sister of Lethbridge visited with Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Reynolds last week.

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The World's Record

Teachers in the commercial department of Victoria high school recently claim a world record for Winifred Martin, 14 years of age, who wrote 500 words in ten minutes in an official typewriting contest. The test was witnessed by more than a hundred disinterested persons and officials verified the machine comparison. It is claimed that the girl broke the Canadian school record by 14 words a minute for ten minutes. Miss Martin also wrote at high speed in five languages—English, German, French, Latin and Greek from unfamiliar dictation and copy, being blindfolded during part of the demonstration.

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"Claresholm Oil Company Limited," Hard at Work

Since last issue the Claresholm Oil Company Limited have held several meetings and are carrying the oil proposition ahead. The head office is at the Milnes Block, Claresholm and the directors are most reliable men and will see that every boy will get a square deal and no favors shown to any. The capitalization of this company is \$500,000 and the per value of each share is one dollar (\$1.00). The first issue of 75,000 shares will be offered for sale at 75c a share as the head office on June 19th at 9 a. m. To-morrow morning remember at 9 a. m. So come and get them now as they are liable to go higher at any time. The directors of this company are most certain that oil can be found on their issues and the drilling process will start immediately. Call at the office and get a prospectus.

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NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that, in accordance with the provisions of The Irrigation Act, the undersigned has filed the necessary memorial and plans required by Sections 13 and 15 of the said Act, with the Commissioner of Irrigation, at Calgary, Alta.

The applicant applies for the right to divert sufficient water per second from WESTROPP CREEK on the South-west quarter of section 30, township 13, range 2, west of the 5th meridian, for irrigation purposes, and for the right to construct the necessary works, as shown by the memorial and plans filed to enable the water so diverted to be used for the said irrigation purposes on the following lands, viz:—the North-east quarter of section 30, township 13, range 2, west of the 5th meridian, for irrigation purposes, and for the right to construct the necessary works, as shown by the memorial and plans filed to enable the water so diverted to be used for the said irrigation purposes on the following lands, viz:—the North-east quarter of section 30, township 13, range 2, west of the 5th meridian, for irrigation purposes, and for the right to construct the necessary works, as shown by the memorial and plans filed to enable the water so diverted to be used for the said irrigation purposes on 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Babies Fear the Force of Gravity

The first experiment which a baby makes is concerned with the force of gravity. It is born with an instinctive or ancestral dread of the unstrained action of that force upon its own body, and it is said to be able to cling with tenacity to a stick, or branch of a tree. Later on it takes pleasure in dropping miscellaneous objects as they then fall, perhaps to see if they all fall alike.

And a very remarkable fact is which is thus observed: The most familiar of all material facts and one of the least understood—lost physical fact, that is, of all the simple physical facts which must surely be well within the limits of human comprehension. For if a philosopher is asked why all bodies tend to move toward the earth and why they all fall with steady, equal acceleration unless retarded or checked somehow he has to reply that he does not know—Sir Oliver Lodge in Harper's Magazine.

Forget Mother

Johnny—You're the meanest, hatest, selfish thing I know. Tommy—And you're the crabbest, ugliest. Father—Boys, boys! You forget that your mother is in the room.

Grouchy

Student—How do you pronounce it, professor, maximo or minichew?

Old Draydon—Neither, sir. I pronounce it mark collins and waste of time.

"Now, boy, take these right to my home. And be careful and don't break them."

"What are they?"

"Blankets," State Journal.

A Bit of Sarcasm

"The late Dr. Morgan Dill," said a clergyman of New York, "had a droll way of lightening grave subjects with little humorous asides. Once I heard him addressing a graduating class at a medical school. He began in this way:

"Physiologists tell us, gentlemen, that the older a man grows the smaller his brain becomes. This explains why the old men know nothing and the young men everything."

"I understand that she does a good deal of vocal work."

"Yes. Her singing is lathered"—Judge.

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Cairo's Corkscrew Tower

Writing of the ancient mosque of Ibn-Tulun, Cairo, John A. Todd, in "The Banks of the Nile," shows how accidental was the design of its odd looking tower. Ahmad Ibn-Tulun was one day holding a council of state when he allowed his attention to wander and sat idly twiddling a piece of paper between his fingers, shaping it into a wheel. Suddenly he realized that the councilors were waiting for his decision to a question. But what question?

At his wife's end to avoid confusion of such discontent, he continued in silence to twiddle the whir of paper. Suddenly he spoke: "Call my architect," for the plans of his new mosque were under consideration. The Czar appeared in fear and trembling, no doubt. "You see this paper? Make me a tower for my mosque like that." The situation was saved, and the shape of the tower, with its corkscrew outside stair, is there to this day to confirm the story.

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Second Sportsman—Look out yourself! You're driving men's you!

First Sportsman—No, I thought you were—Exchange.

"Your dog has bitten chunks out of my leg twice now."

"I do not to angry," urged the girl. "I am in love that he will like you."

"How many samples does he need to make up his mind?"—Ohio State Journal.

Flying Fish

Interesting are the habits of the flying fish, that queer denizen of the sea found principally in the regions of the trade winds. "Does it rise from the sea like a bird?" No. It shoots out of the waves like an arrow with one leading wing sails on the wind in graceful curves, rising sometimes, one might say, to the height of dozens of feet, but not so high, and then, lowering, it again launches the crest of a wave and returns to its flight. This operation may be repeated till it covers a distance, say, of 500 yards in the case of the smallest on the wing, though very often not half the distance is covered. A ship sailing through the trade winds will often be visited on dark nights by flying fish, which hit the water or rising and fall on deck, where, of course, they soon give up life.—St. Nicholas.

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Passenger—That last station was my destination, sah. Why, sah, didn't you stop there?

Conductor—We don't stop there any more. The engine's mid at the station again—Surred River Review.

A Cursed Soul

"Creditor (determinedly)—I shall call at your house every week until you pay this account, sir."

Debtor (in the blandest of tones)—That, sir, there seems every probability of our acquaintanceship ripening into friendship.—London Tit-Bits.

Hicks—Trying to be a good fellow has sent many a man to the bad.

Wicks—True! And many a man has lost his own health from too frequently drinking other people's.

Getting the "fire" out of Ireland is an English job.—Memphis Commercial Appeal.

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Four Leafed Clover

Since four leafed clover is said to be lucky it might be well to know how it happens that while most clover has only three leaves, one is found now and then with four.

According to J. Perrin, who discusses the question in the Archives des Sciences Physiques et Naturelles, clover has more than three leaves as the result of two causes, one hereditary, the other nutritive. After a most reason clover plants with four or even five, six or seven leaves are relatively common and plants with only two leaves are also seen at such times, but these are very rare.

But some plants are abnormal by heredity and reproduce themselves with the same characteristic in successive years when their environment remains the same external influences merely modifying the size of the leaves.

"Didn't you find it rather odd that the thieves were making off with your clothes?"

"Oh, no. They kept me well covered with their revolvers."—Pittsburgh Tiger.

Boarded by a Pirate

Mrs. Gush—Oh, captain, were you ever boarded by a pirate?

Captain Gush—Yes, he charged on E. a day for a bedroom on the fourth floor.—Christian Register.

Criminals at Large

Gibbs (whistling)—What sort of neighbors have you here?

Dibb—A bad lot. There's a blacksmith who's engaged in forging, a carpenter who's done some counterfeiting and a couple of fellows next door who sell iron and steel for a living.



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and complete. I am feeling fine and eat and sleep well, thanks to the wonderful good, accomplished by Dr. Chase's Nerve Food. I wish everybody troubled as I was knew of this grand medicine, which is so quick in action and so permanent in results. It will always have my praise."

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Safe Jumps of Eight or Nine Stories Have Been Made.

At a recent Fifth-avenue street incident in New York that resulted in more of a smoke alarm than a blaze a man and his wife were seen to get out on the ledge of a fifth story window. The firemen told them to wait a moment, that there might be no need to jump. The man cried that they were suffocating and must jump.

The firemen stretched the net and observed for them to police themselves properly and jump one at a time. But even while the firemen were shouting the instructions the man and woman, who were locked arms and leaped. They came down straight and sure as a plummet right into the net. They rebounded about fifteen feet and fell in the net again in a sitting posture, still unharmed.

The firemen let them gently down to the sidewalk. They still sat there looking at each other incredulously. Then they were told there was not even a good fire to justify their jump. It had all been smoke from a smouldering lot of rags and other rubbish. The man and wife heard the news with expressions of wonder, thankfulness and commendation of their skill.

Four of eight and nine stories without injury have been recorded. The man and wife of the jumper in what counts. The firemen have to be prepared for all kinds. Sometimes they have to abate a few inches quickly because of the bad judgment of distance shown by the jumper. But in most cases the leap is not very far. —New York Sun.

A Little Paint Badly Applied.
The play "L'Homme de Bessie" was taken from the knee when its triumph was at the south. The excellent Napoleon, accompanied by his friend Doreau, went in disguise to the Porte St. Martin theater, where the piece was being performed. Eugene Chavreau appearing as the man of destiny. They bought a box, but had hardly entered it when the emperor broke forth in violent exclamations against the "fool managers." It seemed that the devotee had left in the box pots of oil and paint, and into these the emperor had stepped. With wild cries, he rushed from the house and to make matters worse was recognized in the lobby. The paper mentioned the incident, but by order of the emperor the play was never produced again, and Chavreau never appeared again as the man of destiny—and all on account of a little paint badly applied.

Theory and Practice.
Little Bessie was making poor jokes and learning at the same time something of theory. Like many other children, she disliked practicing her finger exercises. One day her mother, who was working in the kitchen, noticed a sudden fall in the playing. She looked down and saw little Bessie practicing perfectly motionless. "Bessie, why don't you practice?" she asked sternly. "I am practicing, mother," replied the child with perfect self-possession. "You practicing my theory?" —New York Post.

PORT ARTHUR DISTRICT AND IRON BOUNTIES

Resolutions and Speeches in Support of Bounty For Domestic Ore Reduction

During the past few weeks the subject of iron ore production in Canada has received considerable attention not only in the House of Commons, and the Ontario Legislature, but at various Boards of Trade meetings, including the Associated Boards of Trade of Ontario Convention at Toronto and also in the press.

The proposal that iron bounties should be renewed deserves careful consideration alike from the Provincial and the Dominion Governments. It is important that prospecting should be stimulated and undoubtedly great advantages would accrue to northern Ontario if the iron ores of the district could be satisfactorily produced and marketed. Further prospecting could be encouraged by some other methods. At any rate there seems to be as much reason for using public money in order to create a Canadian centre in Northern Ontario as in establishing pioneer farms and assisting agriculture generally. Nothing would be of great advantage to Canada as continuous settlement between Sudbury and Kenora. Probably this outstanding need of Confederation can be met only by discovery and development of the minerals throughout that great range of country. Therefore the authorities at Toronto and at Ottawa can afford to consider sympathetically any proposals likely to assist in developing these resources and can act with confidence in the face of the fervent protests of timid localities.

Many years ago Sir Wilfrid Laurier said that protection was the price which a young country must pay for the development of its resources. It is desirable that Canadian Governments should recognize the soundness of the teaching. Moreover they must have the necessary courage to give the teaching practical application.

RISE IN TEN YEARS

Farmers' Relation to the Increased Cost of Living—Mixed Farming Profits

	per cwt.	per cwt.
Butcher cattle.....	1304	1914
Hogs.....	4450	5530
Sheep.....	518	946
Lamb.....	426	745
.....	600	946

According to a Canadian sheep-tryman "in a recent issue, ten years ago the middle week of March showed a top market quotation for butcher cattle at \$4.50 per cwt., as compared with one of \$8.50 for the same week of 1914. Ten years ago the top hog market was \$15.10, as compared with \$14.50 for the week just cited. Similarly, in sheep, a quotation of \$4.25, and for lambs \$6, compares with \$7.35 and \$9.65 respectively at the present time. From that date, prices advanced with prices current today, there is an advance of 50 per cent. in eggs, and 25 per cent. in butter since the month of March ten years ago."

It will be noticed from the above that practically all the staple items the farmer has to sell have risen in price nearly 50 per cent. In contrast to this advantageous increase for the farmer it is often forgotten that the price of such articles as tea, sugar, flour, certain kinds of cotton goods and clothes, etc., for the most part shows a decline in a similar period, while many other articles of every day use, such as furniture, carpets, paper, clothing have remained stationary in price, or suffered only slight advances. The figure serves to indicate that the farmer, particularly the small farmer, is on top of the heap today. He is getting the greatest advantage from the all round increase in the price of his produce, and at the same time is suffering little, if any from the increased price of manufactured goods.

FLOUR MILLS IN CALGARY

Free Wheat Proposal Restrains the Development

The Calgary correspondent of the "Montreal Times" reports that free wheat and the probable effect of the Dominion Government taking advantage of the opportunity to have the United States tariff on wheat removed, has been a live issue in southern Alberta recently. The Western Canada Flour Mills Company precipitated a wider discussion of the subject by informing industrial Commissioner Miller that they would not proceed to carry out their extension to their Calgary mills if they had planned. Grain men, in answer, differ in detail when expressing opinions, but appear to be fairly well agreed that free wheat in the United States market, as conditions are now, would not materially change the price paid to grain growers.

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NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given, that in accordance with the provisions of The Irrigation Act, the undersigned has filed the necessary memorial and plans required by Section 13 and 16 of the said Act, with the Commissioner of Irrigation at Calgary, Alta.

The applicant applies for the right to divert sufficient cubic feet of water per second from a SPRING CREEK (tributary of the South Branch of Willow Creek) on the Southwest quarter of section 30, township 13, range 2, west of the 5th meridian, for irrigation purposes, and for the right to construct the necessary works, as shown by the memorial and plans filed, to enable the water so diverted to be used for the said irrigation purposes on portions of the North half of section 20.

The following lands are affected by right of way for the proposed works, viz: the South-west and South-east quarters of section 30 and the North-east quarter of section 19, all in township 13, range 2, west of the 5th meridian. DATED at Calgary, Alta. this 9th day of May, 1914.

Robert Menzies Applicant.

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Make Sure When You Buy

Two hundred and twenty-seven oil companies, with total stated capitalization of more than \$200,000,000, have been licensed under the laws of Alberta since the strike in December well in the southern part of the province. E. Trounberger, registrar of the joint companies, reports that from 11 to 15 companies are being incorporated every day. Many of the new companies have bases in central Alberta. M. S. Bostic, commissioner of safety and health for the province, has been a witness in the public to investigate before introducing money in any oil enterprise and must not ignore "entireties" of stock which are being shovelled out by "agents" of companies.

You Are Sure to be Caught If?

Edmonton, Alta., June 17.—Dangers and hardships, such as seldom fall to the lot of the riders of the far northern plains, will be faced by Inspector Boyts and officers of the Royal North West Mounted Police who have just been commissioned to search for the slayers of Harry V. Bradford, an American explorer, and Street, his Canadian companion. The two were spared to death by Eskimos, one of whom Bradford had struck in the face while traveling in the Schultz Lake district of the Arctic Circle country, two years ago, on the way from Copper Mine river to Hudson Bay.

Summary of Oil-Belt Base-Ball League 1914

1. The league is to start the first week in June and go through the season according to the schedule adopted, as closely as weather permits.
2. Each player is required to register with the secretary at least 10 days before or before June 8th.
3. A player must be a resident in good faith of the vicinity of the club for which he plays for at least seven (7) days must be registered with the secretary before taking part in a league game. A player is eligible if registered June 8th, or seven days prior to participating in a game.
4. Each club is required to make a deposit of \$20.00 with the secretary before June 8th. This deposit is to be forfeited in case the club does not finish the season, the league to agree to disband.
5. Each club is also required to subscribe \$5.00 to be used for the necessary expense of the league.
6. For defaulting a game the fine shall be \$10.00 unless the executive deems the default justifiable. This fine must be paid before the defaulting club is allowed to play its next scheduled game.
7. The home club takes all the gate receipts but is required to pay the necessary hotel expenses (for 10 men) for the visitors and the umpire's expenses.
8. As far as possible it is recommended that neutral umpires officiate. Each club is asked to submit the names of at least 2 of the best umpires available in their vicinity.
9. It is hoped that the management and the players of all the clubs will do as they possibly can to have every game start promptly on time and to see that all games are conducted in a gentlemanly, sportsmanlike manner so that players and spectators may enjoy the game to the greatest extent.

J. H. Boyle, President.
H. C. McKay, Sec.-Treas.

His Foolish Father.
"I suppose you keep hard at work these days?"
"No, I'm not doing anything just now."

"I thought your father had given you a position in his bank?"
"He did, but he wanted me to earn my salary." —Chicago Record-Herald.

Peish.
"You have a bright look, my boy," said the doctor at the window.
"Yes, sir," replied the valetudinous youth. "That's because I forgot to ruin the soap off my face today."

Giving Her Away.
"Could you wait long to give the bride away?"
"Very well, I'll postpone to the cultured assembly this thirty-two." —Boston Herald.

Too Weak.
There are two ways of bearing the strain of a long night. One is to get it, the other to lose it. —K. W. Kaufman.

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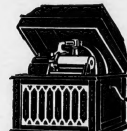
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CANADA'S INDEBTEDNESS

Ability to pay Interest Charges Depends on Productivity

The President of the Bank of Montreal, in his address to the shareholders at the annual meeting early in December, emphasized the fact that the balance of foreign trade has been heavily against Canada during the past decade. In the last six fiscal years exports exceeded imports in value up to \$50,000,000, and this considerable gap has been made, in certain quarters, the subject of adverse criticism of Canada. We cannot, moreover, expect to go on widening the gap between imports and exports indefinitely. The lesson to be taken from these remarks is that the ability to earn interest charges on our heavy borrowings from abroad must come from increased productivity in the farm, factory and mine, etc. A good portion of our borrowings are for the Dominion Government, and our ability to pay the interest charges depends on a growing revenue.

Canada's fiscal policy, during the past thirty years, has not only produced a revenue equal to all the claims of interest and sinking funds, but has afforded incidental protection to manufacturing, an essential factor in our national development. A reduction in the tariff to-day would not only reduce Canada's income, but in so far as it resulted in increased imports would lessen the productivity of Canadian factories, and therefore reduce in the long run the earnings from productive undertakings, which are required to pay interest.

Having in mind the serious conditions in which the country has been placed during the past two years, the wisdom of disturbing the stability of Canada's trade policy at the present juncture is doubtful.

WAGES AND LIVING COST

Labor Secures Better Return Today Than Ten Years Ago

In a discussion of the part played by the tariff in the cost of living, the following appeared in the "New York Journal of Commerce" the other day:

"We presume, of course, that to some extent the tariff may be said to be responsible for the high cost of living, but we consider that the extent to which the tariff is so responsible is very small in comparison with other causes."

Paid to Labor

"More than 50 per cent. of the cost of all production, be it agricultural or industrial, is the wages paid to labor. We all know that for several years past the price of labor has steadily and persistently increased. Not only so, but we also know that the hours of labor have steadily and persistently decreased. Putting these two causes together, is there any reasoning man who can deny that the high cost of living is due very many times to the high cost of labor and the reduction in working hours than to the tariff system?"

Higher in Canada

The cost of living is higher in Canada than in any other country, according to recent official figures. By many this is ascribed to our tariff. But, if their contention is correct, how is it that the cost of living in Canada, which is a low tariff country, is higher than in the United States or Germany, which are high tariff countries?

Those who claim that the tariff is entirely responsible for the high cost of living in the United States must explain away our higher cost. When the United States tariff comes down to the level of ours, will the cost of living in that country go up to ours?

REVENUE NECESSARY

A Grain Grower's Referendum and a Bender Correspondent

Writing in the "Grain Grower's Guide" recently a correspondent from Bender, Sask., replies to the second and third questions of the recent referendum conducted by the "Grain Grower's Guide" as follows:

2. Free Trade with Great Britain would be alright if Britain had a tariff against foreign nations. Otherwise Britain is set out in a position to make a special agreement with us.

3. It would not be advisable to completely abolish the Canadian tariff, as considerable funds are needed to finance the affairs of the Government. If there was no customs tariff, who of your Free Traders would feel like putting up the money?

While this is probably not the answer that the "Grain Grower's Guide" expected, there are no doubt many farmers in Western Canada who realize that the elimination of the protective principle from Canada's trade policy would not provide a panacea for all the difficulties with which they have to contend.

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